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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 6-8, 11-13, 15-18, 20-23, 33-37 and 39-43 as follows.

Pease amend claim 1 as follows.

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1. [Amended] A semiconductor device comprising:

G1 a semiconductor region comprising a source region, a drain region, a channel region, and a pair of regions between the channel region and the source and drain regions, said pair of regions formed of a same material as said channel region wherein

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